

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry "documentary" days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. By showing a slanted "documentary" Sinclair is not serving the public interest but pursuing their own political agenda. When large companies control the airwaves, their bottom line is served not democracy.

Media ownership rules must be strengthened, not weakened. Thank you.